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Issue of printed receipts for the payment of land revenue in Kasaragod taluk.

* 455 *Q.*—SRI M. NARAYANAN NAMBIAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Land Revenue be pleased to state why printed receipts are not issued to patta-holders for the payment of land revenue in Kasaragod taluk, South Kanara district?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Printed receipts for the Land Revenue Collections have not been issued for want of printed forms. Arrangements are being made for the supply of printed forms."

SRI M. NARAYANAN NAMBIAR :—" May I know why such forms were not supplied before the commencement of the fasli? Is it because the taluk officers did not intimate this fact in time to the Government? "

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Sir, the stock of forms ran short and we have issued telegraphic orders and also reminders to supply them as early as possible."

SRI S. DEIVASIGAMANY :—" Have these forms been printed yet? If not, what is the reason for this sorry state of affairs? "

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" There is nothing like ' sorry state of affairs ' and all that, in this matter, Sir. Our Printing Department has to cope with a lot of urgent work. We are doing our best. I think probably by this time the forms will be ready and even may be on their way to that place. I do not, however, know the exact position."

SRI S. RAMALINGAM :—" Sir, ரையத்துகளுக்குக் கொடுக்க்கூடிய வரிப்பணத்துக்கு சரியான ரசீதுகள் கொடுக்கப்படாததால் பல தொந்தரவுகள் ஏற்படுகின்றன. ஆகையால் சர்க்கார் duplicate ரசீதுகள் கொடுக்க முன்வருவார்களா ? "

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" This refers only to printed forms of receipts prevailing in that place. When the printed forms ran short, other arrangements were made to have the forms supplied. Now we are trying to send printed forms themselves."

Construction of a channel near Vayalur village, South Arcot district.

* 456 *Q.*—SRI M. KATTIMUTHU : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state whether the Government have any proposal to construct a channel for irrigation purposes in Vridhachalam Kasba Firka, Vayalur village, South Arcot and if so, when?

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" There is no such proposal."